PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of

Docket No: Q76820

Kazunobu OKAZAKI, et al.

Appln. No.: 10/634,125

Group Art Unit: 1612

Confirmation No.: 5755

Examiner: Sabiha N. QAZI

Filed: August 5, 2003

For:

PLASMA VOLUME EXPANDING FORMULA

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.136

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.136, Applicant hereby petitions for additional time, extending the time for responding to the Final Office Action dated August 19, 2009 from November 19, 2009 to February 19, 2010. A Petition for Extension of Time in the amount of \$130.00 was filed on December 22, 2009.

The USPTO is directed and authorized to charge the remainder statutory fee of \$980.00 and all required fees, except for the Issue Fee and the Publication Fee, to Deposit Account No. 19-4880. Please also credit any overpayments to said Deposit Account.

Respectfully submitted,

Registration No. 40,641

SUGHRUE MION, PLLC

Telephone: (202) 293-7060

Facsimile: (202) 293-7860

WASHINGTON OFFICE

23373

CUSTOMER NUMBER

Date: February 17, 2010